

Public Service Announcement

Ringgold County Recycling Program

Attention Ringgold County Residents

The Ringgold County Board of Supervisors has implemented a recycling program with the help of the City of Mount Ayr. The site is located at the Ringgold County Engineer's Office, 707 S. Henderson, Mount Ayr (use driveway entrance south of office). The Board encourages you to recycle as much as possible in an effort to lower landfill costs and as a result will reduce the amount of waste entering the landfill. The following guidelines will be in place for the recycling program: Recycling items need not be separated

- Acceptable Items
 - **#1-#7 Plastics** – butter tubs, laundry detergent bottles, milk jugs, pop and water bottles, yogurt containers (loose items only, rinsed, smashed with lids removed)
 - **Aluminum and metal** – food and beverage containers, foil, pie tins (rinsed to remove food and liquids)
 - **Cardboard** – all cardboard boxes, cereal boxes, chipboard, packing boxes, paper bags (broken down/flattened)
 - **Mixed paper** – books, computer paper, envelopes, junk mail, magazines, newspapers, office paper
- Unacceptable Recycling Items
 - Glass of any kind
 - Absorbent Paper (napkins, paper towels, tissues)
 - Diapers
 - Dog food bags
 - Compact fluorescent and fluorescent bulbs (household hazardous materials)
 - Light bulbs
 - Paper cups and plates
 - Plastic bags
 - Plastic with no recycling triangle
 - Styrofoam
 - Syringes
 - Vinyl Siding

Please contact the Ringgold County Auditor's office with questions, 464-3239.

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